APD INSTRUCTIONS

Effective immediately, it is no longer necessary to provide the Director, Regional Administrative Support Center (RASC) with copies of requests for Federal financial participation for automatic data processing (ADP) equipment or services acquisitions.

1. States should address ADP funding requests to:

Mark E. Ragan
Director
Office of State Systems
Administration for Children and Families
370 L'Enfant Promenade, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20447
ATTN: Joseph F. Costa - Mail Stop OSS/SSPS

Funding requests for Medicaid Management Information Systems should continue to be sent directly to the Associate Regional Administrator, Division of Medicaid of the appropriate Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA) regional office.

Meetings with OSS staff are held at the following address: Department of Health and Human Services, 200 Independence Ave., S.W., Room 334F - Humphrey Building. The telephone listings for the Director's office and the staff responsible for coordinating your requests within the Department are as follows:

Mark Ragan	(202)	401-6960
Joseph Costa	(202)	690-1205
Ann Darden	(202)	401-6403
William Davis	(202)	401-6404
Mark Graboyes	(202)	401-7237
Ronald Lentz	(202)	401-6413
Bridget O'Shaughnessey	(202)	401-6411

2. For requests addressed to Mark E. Ragan, States should provide, in addition to the original, one copy for each program participating in funding the acquisition/project.

We are enclosing a worksheet which will be helpful in determining the correct number of copies to submit and where to send them. Also enclosed is a current list of addresses of the program agency offices in your Federal region.

The State should enclose a copy of the completed worksheet with its submission and identify in the cover letter each funding source (preferably by Social Security Act Title) from which funding is sought. Also, the State should list in the cover

letter, as courtesy copies, the HHS regional offices to which the State has sent copies of the request. This will confirm for us that the State has sent copies to the appropriate regional office components.

To help expedite the review process for requests relevant to the Title XIX program, States are requested to send a separate copy to:

Director
Office of Information Systems and Data Analysis,
Health Care Financing Administration
7500 Security Blvd.
Mail Stop C4-23-07
Baltimore, MD 21244-1850

The State will continue to receive a consolidated HHS response; however, direct mailing from the State to HCFA will help to eliminate the delay involved in our mailing copies of requests to HCFA in Baltimore.

Please distribute these instructions to appropriate offices within your agency and other pertinent State agencies.

If there has been a change to the official(s) authorized in your Department to submit requests for prior systems approval on behalf of the State agency for Titles IV-A, IV-B, IV-D, IV-E, IV-F, XIX. list, please notify us in writing of the newly designated individual(s).

WORKSHEET FOR DETERMINING NUMBER OF COPIES REQUIRED FOR SUBMISSION TO HHS CENTRAL & REGIONAL OFFICE

HHS Funding Source by Social Security Act Title (Check applicable box) Required Copies (For each program checked, place 1 in columns A & B)

Central Office Regional Office *Column A *Column B

IV-A/IV-B/IV-E IV-F/REFUGEE (ACF)		
IV-D (ACF)		
** XIX (HCFA)		
DEPARTMENTAL MANAGEMENT	1	
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*Column A Central Office Copies should be addressed to:

Mark E. Ragan, Director, Office of State Systems, Administration for Children and Families 370 L'Enfant Plaza, S.W.

Attn: Joseph F. Costa - Mail Stop OSS/SSPS Washington, D.C. 20447

*Column B Regional copies must be sent individually to the appropriate address for each funding source - See attached address list.

** Also send a copy to the HCFA Baltimore Office address, as follows:

Director

Office of Information Systems and Data Analysis Health Care Financing Administration 7500 Security Blvd., Mail Stop C4-23-07 Baltimore, MD 21244-1850

REGION I

Connecticut, Maine Massachusetts, New Hampshire Rhode Island, Vermont

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ACF (Titles IV-A, IV-B, IV-D, IV-E, IV-F, Refugee)

Regional Administrator DHHS/ACF - Region I John F. Kennedy Federal Bldg. Room 600, 6th Floor Boston, Massachusetts 02203

HCFA (Title XIX)

Regional Administrator DHHS/HCFA - Region I John F. Kennedy Federal Bldg. Room 2325 Boston, Massachusetts 02203

REGION II

New York, New Jersey Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands

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ACF (Titles IV-A, IV-B, IV-D, IV-E, IV-F, Refugee)

Regional Administrator DHHS/ACF - Region II 26 Federal Plaza Room 2048 New York, New York 10278

HCFA (Title XIX)

Regional Administrator DHHS/HCFA - Region II 26 Federal Plaza Room 3811 New York, New York 10278

REGION III

Delaware, Maryland, Pennsylvania Virginia, West Virginia, District of Columbia

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Regional Administrator DHHS/ACF - Region III P.O. Box 8436 Room 5450 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19101

HCFA (Title XIX)

Regional Administrator DHHS/HCFA - Region III P.O. Box 7760 Room 3100 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19101

REGION IV

Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee

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ACF (Titles IV-A, IV-B, IV-D, IV-E, IV-F, Refugee)

Regional Administrator, DHHS/ACF - Region IV 101 Marietta Tower Suite 701 Atlanta, Georgia, 30323

HCFA (Title XIX)

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REGION V

Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Ohio, Wisconsin

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ACF (Titles IV-A, IV-B, IV-D, IV-E, IV-F, Refugee)

Regional Administrator DHHS/ACF - Region V 105 West Adams Street 20th Floor Chicago, Illinois 60603

HCFA (Title XIX)

Regional Administrator DHHS/HCFA - Region V 105 West Adams Street 14th - 16th Floors Chicago, Illinois 60603

REGION VI

Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas

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ACF (Titles IV-A, IV-B, IV-D, IV-E, IV-F, Refugee)

Regional Administrator DHHS/ACF - Region VI 1200 Main Tower Room 1700 Dallas, Texas 75202

HCFA (Title XIX)

Regional Administrator DHHS/HCFA - Region VI 1200 Main Tower Room 2000 Dallas, Texas 75202

REGION VII

Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska

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ACF (Titles IV-A, IV-B, IV-D, IV-E, IV-F, Refugee)

Regional Administrator DHHS/ACF - Region VII 601 East 12th Street Room 382 Kansas City, Missouri 64106

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REGION VIII

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ACF (Titles IV-A, IV-B, Iv-D, Iv-E, IV-F, Refugee)

Regional Administrator DHHS/ACF - Region VIII 1961 Stout Street Room 924 Denver, Colorado 80294

HCFA (Title XIX)

Regional Administrator DHHS/HCFA - Region VIII 1961 Stout Street Room 1185 Denver, Colorado 80294

REGION IX

Arizona, California, Hawaii, Nevada, Guam, American Samoa

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ACF (Titles IV-A, IV-B, IV-D, IV-E, IV-F, Refugee)

Regional Administrator DHHS/ACF - Region IX 50 United Nations Plaza Room 450 San Francisco, CA 94102

HCFA (Title XIX)

Regional Administrator DHHS/HCFA - Region IX 75 Hawthorne Street 4th - 5th Floors San Francisco, CA 94105

REGION X

Alaska, Idaho, Oregon, Washington

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ACF (Titles IV-A, IV-B, IV-D, IV-E, IV-F, Refugee)

Regional Administrator DHHS/ACF - Region X Blanchard Plaza Bldg. 2201 Sixth Ave. Room 610, M/S RX-70 Seattle, Washington 98121

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